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Ms. Donna R. Searcy Secretary Federal Communications Commission Room 222 1919 M Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20554 FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Re: CC Docket No. 92-77

Dear Ms. Searcy:

Today, Mr. F. Gaglione, Mr. T. Moran and I, representing the NYNEX Telephone Companies, met with Mr. G. Phillips and Mr. M. Nadel of the Policy and Program Planning Division of the Common Carrier Bureau regarding the above referenced proceeding. The NYNEX representatives used the attached charts in their presentation and also reviewed positions contained in comments filed by the NYNEX Telephone Companies in this proceeding on July 7, 1992.

Sincerely,

Attachment

cc: G. Phillips
M. Nadel

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Billed Party Preference

Service Description

- The Routing of InterLATA Alternately Billed Calls to the Presubscribed Carrier of the End User Paying for the Call
- BPP Should Apply to:
 - All Service Providers (LECs, COCOT, ICs, OSPs ,etc.)
 - All Station Types (Res, Bus, Payphone, Hotel, etc.)
 - All 0+0- InterLATA Calls
 - All Equal Access End Offices

Billed Party Preference

Carrier Identification

- End User Ballot not Required
 - End Users Already Selected Long Distance Carrier at Equal Access Conversion
- Carrier Selection 0+/0-:
 - Collect and Third Number LIDB Query (40% of ABS Calls)
 - Calling Card Card Issuer ID or LIDB Query (60% of ABS Calls)
 - Commerical Credit Card Not Presently an Accepted Billing Mechanism in NYNEX Region
- If 10XXX 0+ Overrides the Billed Parties PIC
 - Technology is Required to Route this Traffic to the Carrier, Bypassing the 0+/0- Carrier Selection Process

BPP Implementation Costs

Major Components

- TOPS Switch Upgrades and New Switches
- Interoffice Trunk Rearrangements
- Additional Operators
- End Office Signaling Requirements

BPP Implementation Costs

Trigger

- Presently, InterLATA 0+ Calls Do Not Route Through TOPS. Overlaying the InterLATA Traffic onto the NYNEX Operator Network will Approximately Double the Call Volumes Experienced at TOPS.
- The Customer Acceptance Rate of Automated ABS in the NYNEX Region for intraLATA Call has Reached 60% since deployment in 1989.
- The Added Call Volumes that NYNEX Would have to Route to TOPS Triggers the Costs of :
 - Two New TOPS Switches (There are Presently 19)
 - 44,000 Trunks that Presently Route Directly to the POP or Access Tandem
 - 502 Operators

Network Reconfiguration Rilled Party Preference



BPP Implementation Costs

Trigger (Cont.)

- OSS7 Software is Required at TOPS to Route a Call Based on a LIDB Query or a Card Issuer ID.
- Additional Signaling Information is Needed to Efficiently Pass a BPP Call to the IC (Limit Need for Two Operators on One Call).
- OSS7 Signaling at the End Office is the Most Efficient Means to Split 10XXX 0 + Traffic from 0+.